

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

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PHNL 040256

SERIAL NO.:

GROUP ART UNIT:

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EXAMINER:

DATA COMMUNICATION MODULLE PROVIDING FAULT TOLERANCE AND INCREASED
STABILITY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination,
please amend the above-identified application as follows: